



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner Paul D. Marcantoni : Art Unit 1755  
: Confirmation No. 3129  
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In re application of :  
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PAUL W. BROWN : A METHOD OF RESISTING CORROSION  
: IN METAL REINFORCING ELEMENTS  
: CONTAINED IN CONCRETE AND  
: RELATED COMPOUNDS AND  
: STRUCTURES  
:  
Application Serial No. 10/817,605 :  
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**AMENDMENT**

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January 13, 2006

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced Application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5.